Clifford Stickney, Major, Co. C 72 IL Infantry Regiment, U.S.

1839  Stickney was born in Rhode Island to parents John and Abby Stickney,

1850  September 16: The U.S. Federal Census Enumerated in Crittendon County, KY showed 11-year-old Clifford living with his parents, John and Abby Stickney and his siblings. John Stickney’s occupation is listed as being a “gentleman.”

1855  Attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, NY.

1860  June 18: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Chicago, Cook County, IL showed Clifford, a Civil Engineer, living with his widowed mother and siblings.

1862  The Chicago City Directory showed Stickney, a civil engineer, living with his mother.

   August 21: Commissioned as an officer in the United States Army.

1863  March 3: Promoted to full 1st Lieutenant.

1864  November 30: Fought in the Battle of Franklin.

1865  August 7: Commissioned an officer in the U.S. Volunteers Adjutant Genl Dept Infantry.
1867  October 3: Clifford Stickney died in a train depot in Marion, Virginia of Yellow Fever.